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LITTLE BOAR'S HEAD DISTRICT

Annual Report

1937-1938

August 30, 1938

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Little Boar's Head District

OFFICERS FOR 1937-1938

Moderator, WILLIAM P. FOWLER.

Clerk, BLANCHE H. BOYNTON.

Commissioners,

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| WILLIAM P. FOWLER, |
| MARION STOTT, |
| PHILIP N. HOBSON. |

Treasurer, BERTHA E. APPLETON.

Auditor, MARLAND D. KNOWLES.

Zoning Board of Adjustment,

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| ARTHUR L. HOBSON, |
| MARLAND D. KNOWLES, |
| EDITH STOTT, |
| BLANCHE H. BOYNTON, |
| WILLIAM P. FOWLER. |

Zoning Inspector, PHILIP N. HOBSON.

District Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE — ROCKINGHAM, ss.

To the Inhabitants of Little Boar's Head District, a village district in the Town of North Hampton, organized under provision of Chapter 196, Session Laws of 1905, qualified to vote in District Affairs:—

You are hereby notified to attend the annual meeting of Little Boar's Head District to be held at the residence of William P. Fowler on Atlantic Avenue, in said district, on the first Tuesday of September next (the sixth day of the month) at eight o'clock in the evening (8.00 p. m.) for the following purposes:

1. To elect a moderator, a clerk, a board of three commissioners, a treasurer, and an auditor for the ensuing year.
2. To hear the reports of the clerk, treasurer, and other officers of said district, and to take such action as you may desire in regard to the same.
3. To take such action as you may desire in regard to allowing the same discount on district taxes as is allowed by the Town of North Hampton on town taxes.
4. To raise such sum of money as may be needed for extinguishment of fires, hydrant service, sidewalk construction and maintenance, street lighting, police and watchman service, maintenance of common sewers, drainage and mosquito prevention, planting and care of shade or ornamental trees, maintenance and care of parks or commons, enacting and enforcing zoning regulations, and all other district expenses.

5. To transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this 19th day of August, A. D., 1938.

WILLIAM P. FOWLER,
MARION STOTT,
PHILIP N. HOBSON,

Commissioners of Little Boar's Head District.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

WILLIAM P. FOWLER,
MARION STOTT,
PHILIP N. HOBSON,

Commissioners of Little Boar's Head District.

We hereby certify that on the 20th day of August, 1938, we posted a true and attested copy of the above warrant on the telephone pole on Atlantic Avenue opposite the residence of William P. Fowler (the place of said meeting), and a like copy on a telephone pole on Willow Avenue, near the southerly end of said Avenue, public places in said district.

WILLIAM P. FOWLER,
MARION STOTT,
PHILIP N. HOBSON,

Commissioners of Little Boar's Head District.

Commissioners' Report

1937-1938

I. *Sidewalks:* About six sections of the boardwalk at Bass Beach were renewed this spring and many repairs were necessary here. More of the walk will have to be replaced every year from now on.

Other work on sidewalks included repairs to concrete walks and removing grass from edges of walks.

II. *Water Service:* The Commissioners were represented at hearings at Hampton Beach this summer before the Public Service Commission in an effort to reach an agreement on more equitable water rates. The Hampton Water Works Company's revenue during the past year was in excess of expectation, although this was largely offset by increased local taxes.

As this report goes to press the Water Company has proposed a new rate under which the consumer will be allowed the use of 1000 cubic feet (7500) gallons of water for the minimum charge, which is graduated according to the size of the meter, and above that would pay for the water used at a graduated rate.

III. *Drainage and Mosquito Control:* An extremely wet July interfered with the effectiveness of the District's mosquito control program, although the spraying that has been done has greatly reduced the number of mosquitoes in this community. After the river was opened in July we were able to handle the situation more effectively.

IV. *Sewage Disposal:* Property owners in the District are all urged to install septic tanks rather than continue the old practice of running the overflow from their cesspools directly into the ocean. Many property owners have already corrected this situation.

V. *Zoning:* The Commissioners appointed the following Board of Adjustment after the enactment of the Zoning Ordinance at the Annual Meeting on September 7, last year: Arthur L. Hobson, Marland D. Knowles, Edith Stott, Blanche H. Boynton, William P. Fowler. The Board of Adjustment elected William P. Fowler as its chairman. Philip N. Hobson was appointed zoning inspector.

A permit was issued by the Zoning Board of Adjustment for the remodelling of the Purington Building in the Business Zoning District by Mr. Frank D. Burridge.

VI. *Policing:* Watchman service was maintained for the usual time last winter.

The District has had a man in its employ to pick up papers along the beach, parking area, and roadsides.

A life guard was employed by the District as an experiment this summer. It is hoped that the property owners will express their opinions as to the advisability of continuing this policy another year.

VII. *Taxes:* The tax rate for the past year was \$2.80 per \$1,000 valuation and will probably be slightly decreased for the coming year.

VIII. *Budget, 1938-1939:*

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| Hydrant service and fire protection | \$900.00 |
| Sidewalk maintenance and repairs | 400.00 |

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| Drainage and mosquito control..... | \$400.00 |
| Policing and beach patrol..... | 400.00 |
| Miscellaneous..... | 100.00 |
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| | \$2,200.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM P. FOWLER,
MARION STOTT,
PHILIP N. HOBSON,

Commissioners of Little Boar's Head District.

Little Boar's Head, N. H.,
August 30, 1938.

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

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| August 31, 1937, balance in treasury | \$1,011.92 |
| <i>From Interest on Deposits</i> | |
| January 1, 1938, New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord..... | \$16.95 |
| July 1, 1938, Portsmouth Savings Bank, Portsmouth..... | 3.20 |
| | _____ |
| | \$20.15 |

From Edward M. Smith, Collector of Taxes

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| October 8, 1937, levy of 1937 | \$789.69 |
| February 1, 1938, levy of 1937 | 110.57 |
| June 15, 1938, levy of 1937 | 133.14 |
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| | \$1,033.40 |
| July 1, 1938, levy of 1938 | \$94.96 |
| August 4, 1938, levy of 1938 | 1,893.99 |
| | _____ |
| | \$1,988.95 |
| Grand total..... | \$4,054.42 |

EXPENDITURES

Fire Protection

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| October 4, 1937, paid F. A. Gray & Co., painting woodwork at fire house..... | \$10.90 |
| December 24, 1937, paid Hampton Water Works Company, 6 months' hydrant ser- vice to June 1, 1938... | 410.00 |

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| April 9, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, shoveling snow from fire house and hydrants | \$7.50 |
| August 5, 1938, paid Hampton Water Works Company, 6 months' hydrant service to De- cember 1, 1938..... | 410.00 |
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| | \$838.40 |

Sidewalks

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| November 12, 1937, paid Irving W. Brown, repairs to concrete and labor on boardwalk, winter storage..... | \$26.30 |
| December 4, 1937, paid Boit, Dalton, Church & Hamilton, in- surance on boardwalk | 4.50 |
| April 9, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, clearing sidewalks.... | .50 |
| May 21, 1938, paid the Noyes Lumber Com- pany, railing and re- pairing boardwalk at Bass Beach..... | 103.76 |
| May 27, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, edg- ing sidewalks..... | 30.25 |
| June 4, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, edging sidewalks..... | 10.50 |
| June 9, 1938, paid S. A. Dow & Son, broom and file, sidewalk work | 1.65 |
| June 15, 1938, paid Irving W. Brown, relay- ing boardwalk and re- pairing cement..... | 143.57 |
| June 24, 1938, paid Edward L. Paterson & Son, railing sidewalk at bath houses..... | 6.10 |

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| July 8, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, mowing..... | \$1.50 |
| August 8, 1938, paid the Noyes Lumber Company, railing side- walk..... | 14.08 |
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| | \$342.71 |

Drainage and Mosquito Prevention

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| September 8, 1937, paid Leon M. Knowles, spraying..... | \$26.50 |
| September 8, 1937, paid Lamprey Brothers, oil for spraying..... | 15.93 |
| October 4, 1937, paid Leon M. Knowles, spraying..... | 9.50 |
| October 14, 1937, paid Leon M. Knowles, spraying..... | 33.25 |
| October 25, 1937, paid Lamprey Brothers, oil for spraying..... | 34.74 |
| May 10, 1938, paid William P. Fowler, sprayer..... | 6.75 |
| May 16, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, spraying cedar swamp and marsh..... | 51.25 |
| May 16, 1938, paid Lamprey Brothers, oil for spraying..... | 48.43 |
| May 27, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, spraying..... | 3.00 |
| June 9, 1938, paid Lamprey Brothers, oil for spraying..... | 20.83 |
| June 9, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, spray- ing..... | 17.00 |
| June 15, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, spray- ing..... | 12.75 |
| June 29, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, spray- ing..... | 20.00 |

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| July 25, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, spraying..... | \$20.00 |
| August 8, 1938, paid Lamprey Brothers, oil for spraying..... | 31.80 |
| August 20, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, spraying and ditching. | 12.00 |
| August 27, 1938, paid Leon M. Knowles, spraying and ditching. | 37.00 |
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| | \$400.73 |

Police Service

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| October 9, 1937, paid Town of North Hampton, one-half police payroll, Flower Show, 1937..... | \$75.00 |
| December 24, 1937, paid Herbert S. Knowles, services as watchman . | 15.00 |
| January 4, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, services as watchman . | 15.00 |
| February 4, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, services as watchman . | 15.00 |
| March 5, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, services as watchman . | 15.00 |
| April 9, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, services as watchman . | 15.00 |
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| | \$150.00 |

Beach Patrol

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| September 8, 1937, paid Leon M. Knowles, cleaning beach..... | \$5.50 |
| October 4, 1937, paid Leon M. Knowles, cleaning beach..... | 5.00 |
| October 14, 1937, paid Leon M. Knowles, cleaning beach..... | 1.50 |

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| July 8, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, cleaning beach..... | \$12.00 |
| July 12, 1938, paid Richard Hemenway, patrol and life guard duty..... | 25.00 |
| July 15, 1938, paid Richard Hemenway, patrol and life guard duty..... | 25.00 |
| July 25, 1938, paid Richard Hemenway, patrol and life guard duty..... | 25.00 |
| August 5, 1938, paid Richard Hemenway, patrol and life guard duty..... | 25.00 |
| August 8, 1938, paid Richard Hemenway, patrol and life guard duty..... | 25.00 |
| August 15, 1938, paid Richard Hemenway, patrol and life guard duty..... | 25.00 |
| August 20, 1938, paid Richard Hemenway, patrol and life guard duty..... | 24.00 |
| August 27, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, cleaning beach..... | 9.50 |
| August 27, 1938, paid Richard Hemenway, patrol and life guard duty..... | 24.00 |
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| | \$231.50 |

Zoning

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| September 9, 1937, paid John Templeton, publishing notices.... | \$6.38 |
| September 13, 1937, paid microphone, print- ing preliminary and final reports..... | 30.00 |

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| October 9, 1937, paid William P. Fowler, professional services, zoning ordinance..... | \$200.00 |
| October 9, 1937, paid William P. Fowler, payment to A. C. Coney, consultant ... | 20.00 |
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| | \$256.38 |

Miscellaneous

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| September 9, 1937, paid John Templeton, printing annual reports | \$28.00 |
| August 27, 1938, paid Herbert S. Knowles, improving roadside... | 8.75 |
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| | \$36.75 |

Summary

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| Fire protection..... | \$838.40 |
| Sidewalks..... | 342.71 |
| Drainage and mosquito prevention..... | 400.73 |
| Police service..... | 150.00 |
| Beach patrol..... | 231.50 |
| Zoning..... | 256.38 |
| Miscellaneous..... | 36.75 |
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| Total expenditures..... | \$2,256.47 |
| Balance in treasury, August 29, 1938..... | \$1,797.95 |
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| Grand total | \$4,054.42 |
| Cash on hand, New Hampshire National Bank, Portsmouth..... | \$904.82 |

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| Amount of deposit, Portsmouth Savings Bank, with accrued interest to July 1, 1938 | \$510.29 |
| Amount of deposit, New Hampshire Sav- ings Bank, Concord, with accrued interest to January 1, 1938 | 382.84 |
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| \$1,797.95 | |

Surplus in National Bank above immediately current expenses deposited in Portsmouth Savings Bank and New Hampshire Savings Bank to be withdrawn when needed and replaced when surplus again develops from tax payments into treasury.

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| Amount of tax, levy of 1937 | \$1,076.09 |
| Interest on uncollected tax | 3.06 |
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| \$1,079.15 | |
| Amount received from collector of taxes, levy of 1937 | \$1,033.40 |
| Discount and abatements | 45.75 |
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| \$1,079.15 | |
| Amount of taxes, levy of 1938 | \$2,543.93 |
| Amount received from collector of taxes, levy of 1938 | \$1,988.95 |
| Discount allowed | 104.68 |
| August 29, 1938, uncollected tax | 450.30 |
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| \$2,543.93 | |

Little Boar's Head, N. H.,
August 29, 1938.

BERTHA E. APPLETON, *Treasurer.*

AUDITOR'S REPORT

LITTLE BOAR'S HEAD, N. H.,
August 29, 1938.

Having examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer of the Little Boar's Head Village District, I certify them to be correct.

M. D. KNOWLES, *Auditor.*

